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Group Art Unit 2852, Expedited Procedure

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PATENT APPLICATION

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:	)	
TAKESHI YAMAWAKI ET AL.	)	Examiner: Susan Shuk Yin Lee
Appln. No.: 09/729,279	)	Group Art Unit: 2852
Filed: December 5, 2000	)	
For: OPTICAL SCANNING	)	
APPARATUS, IMAGE FORMING	:	
APPARATUS, AND METHODS	)	
OF PERFORMING OPTICAL	:	
SCANNING USING OPTICAL	)	
SCANNING APPARATUS AND	:	
IMAGE FORMING APPARATUS	)	August 25, 2004

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AMENDMENT AFTER FINAL ACTION

Sir:

In response to the Office Action mailed May 26, 2004, please amend the above-identified application as follows. Amendments to the claims are reflected in the listing beginning at page 2, and the Remarks begin on page 15.